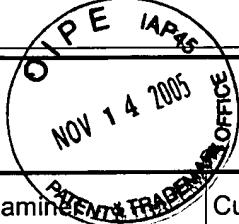


PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Large Entity)

Docket No.
 S-103,712

In Re Application Of: **Charles H. Skinner**



Application No. 10/787,220	Filing Date 2/27/2004	Examiner Anjan K. Deb	Customer No. 31970	Group Art Unit 2858	Confirmation No. 4837
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Invention: **ELECTROSTATIC DUST DETECTOR**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 7/13/2005 above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month Two months Three months Four months Five months

from: October 13, 2005 until: November 13, 2005
Date *Date*

The fee for the extension of time is **\$120** and is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **01-2752**
- If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **01-2752**
- Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.


Signature

Dated: **November 14, 2005**

Katherine L. Baldwin

Authorized Signature for Deposit Account **01-2752**

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